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SUBJECT: PRG INFORMATION OFFICE MAILS NOTE TO US STATE DEPARTMENT

REF: PARIS 11145, APR 21, 1973

1. EMBASSY HAS JUST RECEIVED BY MAIL (POSTED JANUARY 30)
THE FOLLOWING NOTE FROM THE "MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
OF THE REPUBLIC OF SOUTH VIETNAM."

BEGIN QUOTE:

BUREAU D'INFORMATION DU GOUVERNEMENT REVOLUTIONNAIRE
PROVISOIRE DE LA REPUBLIQUE DU SUD VIETNAM, REF. 740156;
THE MINISTRY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC OF
SOUTH VIETNAM PRESENTS ITS COMPLIMENTS TO THE STATE
DEPARTMENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND HAS THE
HONOUR TO FORWARD TO HIM THE JANUARY 24, 1974 STATEMENT
OF THE PROVISIONAL REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT OF THE
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH VIETNAM ON THE OCCASION OF THE FIRST
YEAR FOLLOWING THE SIGNING THE PARIS AGREEMENT ON VIETNAM.
THE PROVISIONAL REVOLUTIONARY GOVERNMENT OF THE
REPUBLIC OF SOUTH VIETNAM HAS ALWAYS SCRUPULOUSLY
RESPECTED AND STRICTLY IMPLEMENTED THE PARIS AGREEMENT
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ON VIETNAM AND THE JOINT COMMUNIQUE AND AT THE SAME
TIMES DEMANDS THAT THE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA ANDTHE SAIGON ADMINISTRATION DO THE SAME.
THE MINISTRY FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS OF THE REPUBLIC
OF SOUTH VIETNAM WISHES TO RENEW TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT
OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA THE ASSURANCES OF ITS
HIGH CONSIDERATION.
SOUTH VIETNAM, JANUARY 25, 1974

STATE DEPARTMENT OF THE UNITED STATES, UNITED STATES
EMBASSY, 2 AVENUE GABRIEL, 75008 PARIS. END QUOTE.

2. ALTHOUGH THE NOTE IS NOT INITIALED, IT DOES BEAR THE
"PRG" INFORMATION OFFICE SEAL AND APPEARS INTENDED TO BE
CONSIDERED AS A FORMAL NOTE, THIS IS THE FIRST SUCH
NOTE WHICH THE MEBASSY HAS RECEIVED SINCE THE FIRST NOTE
ON APRIL 17, 1973.

3. THE TEXT OF THE "PRG" STATEMENT, WHICH IS IN FRENCH,
IS THE SAME AS THE ENGLISH VERSION CARRIED IN THE FBIS
ASIA AND PACIFIC DAILY REPORT OF FRIDAY, 25 JANUARY 1974,
NO. 18. VOL. IV.

4. WE ARE FORWARDING THE ORIGINALS TO THE DEPARTMENT,
EA/VN, AND COPIES TO EUR/WE AND EMBASSY SAIGON.
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